IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application: **Craddock et al.**	§	
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Serial No.: **09/942,632**	§	Group Art Unit: **2186** **JUN 2 9 2004**
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Filed: **August 30, 2001**	§	Examiner: **Kim, Hong Chong**
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For: **Apparatus and Method for**	§	Attorney Docket No.: **AUS920010475US1**
Swapping-Out Real Memory by	§	
Inhibiting I/O Operations to a	§	**OFFICIAL**
Memory Region and Setting a	§	
Quiescent Indicator, Responsive to	§	
Determining the Current Number of	§	
Outstanding Operations	§	

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

No fees are believed to be required. If, however, any fees are required, I authorize
the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to IBM Corporation Deposit
Account No. 09-0447. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an
extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner
to charge any fees for this extension to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447.

In response to the Office Action dated March 29, 2004, please amend the above-
identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3
of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.   **BEST AVAILABLE COPY**